

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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OFFICE OF WATER

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: FY 2008 Regional Allotments (by State and Territory) for Counter-

Terrorism Coordination Grants

FROM:

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Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water (4601M)

TO:

Water Management Division Directors

Regions I - X

The purpose of this memorandum is to provide allotment and accounting information to the Regional Program Offices on grants that the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) will award for counter-terrorism coordination activities by the States and Territories. A request for the continuation of this grant program was included in the Fiscal Year (FY) 2008 President's Budget at an amount of \$4,950,000 and was subsequently appropriated under the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2008 (Public Law 110-161). The final FY 2008 enacted levels were revised to include a 1.56% rescission. Therefore, under this FY 2008 appropriation in the State and Tribal Assistance Grants (STAG) account, \$4,873,000 is now available to EPA for award to States and Territories to continue the support of counter-terrorism coordination activities by the States and Territories in protecting the Nation's drinking water systems. Regional Program Offices are to use the allotment and accounting information contained in this memorandum in conjunction with the memorandum titled "Grants Involving Counter-Terrorism Coordination Activities by States and Territories" to make new grant awards to States and Territories for counter-terrorism coordination activities, or amend previous grants which only include STAG funding. These funds shall not be utilized in conjunction with previously provided S&T C9 funds.

Allocation of Funds

This FY 2008 appropriation was made available in STAG funds, which are to remain available until expended. As was the case in previous years, a modification of the basic PWSS formula was chosen to allocate the \$4,873,000, with each State to

receive a minimum of \$50,000 and each Territory at least \$16,700. The table below shows the allotment by State and Territory. The Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water (OGWDW) has reprogrammed these STAG funds to each Region for distribution to the States and Territories. Accounting information to be used includes:

- Program Results Code 201B25E
- Budget Year 2008
- Appropriations Code E

STATE/REGION	ALLOTMENT
CT ME MA NH RI VT REGION 1 TOTAL	\$68,100 \$50,000 \$57,200 \$57,700 \$50,000 <u>\$50,000</u> \$333,000
NJ NY PR VI REGION 2 TOTAL	\$98,200 \$230,100 \$50,000 <u>\$16,700</u> \$395,000
DC DE MD PA VA WV REGION 3 TOTAL	\$50,000 \$50,000 \$77,500 \$201,000 \$102,500 <u>\$50,000</u> \$531,000
AL FL GA KY MS NC SC TN REGION 4 TOTAL	\$50,000 \$182,800 \$107,200 \$50,000 \$62,800 \$155,200 \$53,500 \$55,500 \$717,000

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IL	\$147,800
IN	\$ 99,000
MI	\$206,400
MN	\$122,000
OH	\$141,000
WI	\$161,800
REGION 5 TOTAL	\$878,000
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AR	\$50,000
LA	\$68,800
NM	\$53,600
OK	\$67,500
TX	\$286,100
REGION 6 TOTAL	\$526,000
IA	\$68,900
KS	
MO	\$56,300
	\$94,500
NE DEGICAL 7 TOTAL	\$50,300
REGION 7 TOTAL	\$270,000
CO	\$69,300
MT	\$60,700
ND	\$50,000
SD	\$50,000
UT	\$50,000
WY	<u>\$50,000</u>
REGION 8 TOTAL	\$330,000
AZ	\$70,000
CA	\$294,900
HI	\$50,000
NV	\$50,000
AS	\$16,700
GU	
	\$16,700
NMI RECION O TOTAL	\$16,700 \$515,000
REGION 9 TOTAL	\$515,000
AK	\$112,300
ID	\$59,700
OR	\$78,200
WA	<u>\$127,800</u>
REGION 10 TOTAL	\$378,000
GRAND TOTAL ALLOCATED	\$4,873,000
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Upon receipt of this memorandum, your Regional Program Office is requested to

initiate the process whereby States and Territories may apply for these grants per the memorandum titled "Grants Involving Counter-Terrorism Coordination Activities by States and Territories." I urge you to work with the States and Territories to apply as soon as possible so that you may obligate most, if not all, of these funds by September 30, 2008.

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We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff to develop effective, efficient approaches to ensuring that drinking water systems are as safe as possible as soon as possible. If you have any questions on this particular portion of the program, please contact Nancy Muzzy of the OGWDW's Water Security Division at (513) 569-7864 and muzzy.nancy@epa.gov.

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(Regions to inform State Drinking Water Administrators)